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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir :

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of March 26, 2003 finally rejecting claims 29-33, 35-42, and 44-47 (and Objecting to claims 34 and 43).

The following items are enclosed herewith:

A request for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) for three-months.

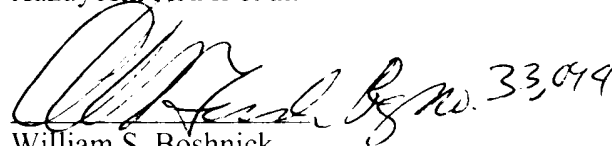
A check including the amount of \$625.00, of which \$465.00 is for the payment of the extension of time fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(3) and of which \$160.00 is for the payment of the appeal fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. 1.17(b).

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If there are any questions about this application, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,
Kazuyoshi ARAI et al.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "W. S. Boshnick", is written over a horizontal line. To the right of the signature, the number "33,044" is handwritten.

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